

BUSINESSPERSON OF THE YEAR

This event recognizes outstanding leaders from the business sector who have contributed to the success of Future Business Leaders of America-Phi Beta Lambda on the local, state, or national levels.

ELIGIBILITY

Each chapter may enter one (1) or more persons in the Businessperson of the Year event. Nominees **must** be members of the business sector, not students or educators.

REGULATIONS

1. The entry form and nominee's biographical sketch (addressing the bullets under the procedures section) must be completed and received in the state office postmarked no later than the designated deadline.
2. Nominees must be members of the business community. Persons who are full-time employees of educational institutions, students, or departments of education are not eligible for this award; such nominees will be **DISQUALIFIED**.
3. Nominees must not have been recognized in this event at a previous PBL State Leadership Conference.

PROCEDURES

Criteria for selection of nominees at the state level should include but do not have to be limited to:

- ↳ Years of participation in FBLA-PBL activities
- ↳ Promotion of FBLA-PBL through presentations and seminars
- ↳ Contribution to chapter projects and activities
- ↳ Financial assistance to and sponsorship of activities for local and/or state chapter(s)

The biographical sketch of each nominee should particularly address the above areas.

AWARDS

Nominees will receive a certificate of recognition. Each nominee attending the State Leadership Conference will be recognized.

PARTICIPATION AT NATIONAL

The state's Businessperson of the Year will be recognized as a national Businessperson of the Year at the National Leadership Conference.